

REMARKS

The applicant has provided a summary section. The applicant has also amended the abstract. It is believed that all the rejections and/or objections raised by the examiner have been addressed.

Any circumstance in which the applicant has addressed certain comments of the examiner does not mean that the applicant concedes other comments of the examiner.

In view of the foregoing remarks, applicant respectfully submits that the application is in condition for allowance and such action is respectfully requested at the examiner's earliest convenience.

Please apply any required fees to deposit account 06-1050, referencing the attorney docket number shown above.

Respectfully submitted,

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